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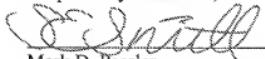
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Sir:

The above-identified application was filed as a §371 National Phase application on July 17, 2006. In the Notice of Allowance mailed February 18, 2010, the Examiner indicated that a certified copy of the underlying European application has not been received. Applicant notes that a copy of the priority application should have been transferred from WIPO and requests that the Office obtain a copy from WIPO if one has not already been received.

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